UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

In the Matter of)
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MARIA REICHMANIS) Proceeding No. D 2001-04
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Respondent)

ORDER GRANTING DIRECTOR'S MOTION FOR DEFAULT JUDGMENT

On February 28, 2001, the Director of the Office of Enrollment and Discipline ("Director") filed a Complaint and Notice of Proceedings under 35 U.S.C. § 32 against Maria Reichmanis. The respondent has not filed an answer to this Complaint. Accordingly, the Director's motion for default judgment is <u>GRANTED</u>, and the allegations set forth in the complaint are deemed admitted by respondent.

It is, therefore, <u>ORDERED</u> that Maria Reichmanis is excluded from practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office for violating the following Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct:

- a. Rule 10.77(c), 37 C.F.R. 10.77(c), in that Respondent neglected a legal matter entrusted to her;
- b. Rule 10.23(c)(16), 37 C.F.R. 10.23(c)(16), in that Respondent willfully refused to reveal or report knowledge or evidence to the Director;
- c. Rule 10.131(b), 37 C.F.R. 10.131(b), in that Respondent failed to cooperate with an investigation by the Director in connection with this disciplinary proceeding.

Carl C. Charneski Administrative Law Judge

Dated: November 5th, 2001 Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of Maria Reichmanis, Respondent Proceeding No. D 2001-04

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that the foregoing **Order Granting Director's Motion for Default Judgment** dated November 8, 2001, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below:

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